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Announcement

We beg to announce to the citizens of Red Deer and surrounding district that we have purchased the business of the well-known firm of Stephenson & Ilsey.

Mr. A. T. Stephenson has disposed of his interest to Mr. Wm. J. Ilsey, of Winnipeg, now assistant manager in the large retail Hardware of J. H. Ashdown.

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A Public Park.

There is nothing that will add to the beauty and comfort of a town more than a public park. We are pleased therefore that the council is taking steps to ascertain the cost and all particulars with regard to establishing a park in Red Deer. The suggested location, at the south end of town is a good one and certainly there should be nothing brought forward to interfere with the plans of the city fathers with regard to securing this property.

Minster of Public Works Here

SECURES COURT HOUSE SITE.

On Thursday last the Hon. W. H. Jushing, Minister of Public Works, was in town and inspected some properties with a view to securing a court house site for Red Deer. After looking over several suggested properties the fourth block from Gaetz avenue east, on the north side of the street, was selected just west of Waskasoo creek. The block is 500 by 270 feet and the price paid was \$5000. This property was owned by Dr. Leo Gaetz and is a desirable property for the purpose for which it was purchased. It may be some time before the court house is built but the minister wisely thought that in a few months it would be almost impossible to secure a good site for anything like the figure paid for this one and stepped in and secured while he could the desired property.

PENHOLD CONSERVATIVES ORGANIZE.

The Conservative Association of Penhold district met in the school house on Saturday afternoon last. Charles Wilson in the chair. There was a fair attendance of members.

The main business of the meeting was to elect officers for the ensuing year. The following was the result:

Hon. Pres., Dr. Gaetz; President, Chas. Wilson; Vice President, H. Whitlock; Secretary, Treasurer, A. Hives; with E. Carswell and D. Code, to act as an Executive with the other officers. The reason the Dr. was elected Hon. President was because he had had the honor of receiving here the largest majority for the number of votes polled, of any division in the constituency.

GREAT EXCITEMENT DOWN THE LINE.

The Golden West soap man on his trip north last week from Calgary saw three strange things. At Didsbury, he saw a horse buck, at Bowden he saw a dog fight, and at Innisfail he saw a horse trade.

A Market.

The Council has decided on opening the Town Market on May 1st. All things have to be a beginning. Perhaps the beginning of the market may be small, and all arrangements may not be complete, but we predict that before long everything will be in full swing and the ratepayers will wonder how on earth they ever got along without one.

RED DEER THE BATTLE GROUND.

The Saturday News, of Edmonton, in sizing up the situation in the new Dominion Constituencies says: "But it will be in Red Deer that the most active campaign for the Liberal nomination will take place. Already the claims of various men of prominence in the party are being discussed. George W. Smith, of Red Deer, who was a close second to Dr. McIntyre for the nomination in Strathcona a year ago, is believed to have the best chance. The friends of John T. Moore, M.P., are keeping him before the public, while there are a very large number who would like to see Dr. Clark of Olds at Ottawa. If he should win there he would certainly do the constituency great credit and it is a pity if the province could not in some way have the advantage of his services in some department of public life. Conservative possibilities are Andrew Gilmour of Lacombe, who Mr. Puffer, a close run for the local House and J. A. Jackson, the well known Ponoka barrister, while Rev. Dr. Gaetz of Red Deer, Mr. Moore's opponent in the provincial elections would care to accept the nomination, he would find many of his party associates to support him for it. Together the situation in Red Deer is decided the most interesting in the province. What ever candidates take the field, the result will be close. The provincial constituencies of Innisfail, Lacombe and Red Deer are all included in this new riding and only a few votes divided the parties in each of these. On the north part of Ponoka constituency is included, where for the provincial house, Mr. Jackson gave Dr. McLeod, the Liberal member, a close run, while in the south, part of Rosebud which Mr. Heibert one of the two Conservatives sitting at Edmonton represents, is to be contested. Mr. Heibert's home town, Didsbury, is in Red Deer. We may rest assured, therefore, that when the writs are issued, the spectacular fight of the province will be in this constituency.

Red Deer Exhibition Association.

A meeting of the shareholders of the Red Deer Exhibition Association Limited was held in the new Fire Hall last Saturday for the purpose of altering one or two sections of the by-laws. The laws allowed voting by proxy. To earn the grant given to Agricultural Societies and like Associations by the Government it is necessary to comply with the rules laid down by the latter. One of these rules is that Associations such as our local one shall not allow voting by proxy. As the grant is a great consideration the management decided to alter the by-laws. At the meeting on Saturday the shareholders gave a unanimous vote for the alteration. But the special resolution will not hold good till confirmed by another meeting of shareholders which must be held in not less than fourteen days nor more than one month after the first meeting. This meeting will be called in due time.

Birth.

At Wetsakwin on April 24th to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Stephenson, a son.

Address to Curlers.

Rev. W.G.W. Fortune, as Chairman of the Alberta branch of the Royal Caledonian Curling Club, delivered an address to curlers on Sunday evening last.

In his opening remarks Mr. Fortune drew attention to the fact that the King is Pro. of the Royal Caledonian Curling Club, and curling itself was the king of sports. The first point made by the speaker was from Jeremiah 5-1, the importance of sterling character. Under this head curling was shown to be a gentleman's game, and profanity and obscenity were conspicuous by their absence. Mr. Fortune called for clean sport and deplored the professionalism which was creeping in and robbing sport of its true zest. He appealed for support in manly, clean games and declared it a splendid safe guard against immorality. A half holiday should be granted during the months of July and August and a Reading Room and Public Library were badly needed in Red Deer.

Mr. Fortune made use of two of the shots in the 'points' game to emphasize certain passages of scripture "Guard" from Proverbs 4:23, and 1st Timothy 6:20. He urged upon his hearers to guard their physical, mental and moral powers. These were God entrusted. Keep the imagination pure, keep the heart, the fountain of life pure, and the life itself would be pure. Allow it to become polluted and the life would not only be poisoned but would prove to be a menace to others. Guard the heart leave it not open to the attacks of evil.

Draw the port, was the last point made from Matthew 7:13. As chance shots will not draw the port on the ice so hap-hazard living will not enter the narrow gate. The way of life and duty is narrow and is hedged about by the shafts of the Word of God. Men applaud the curler who makes a difficult shot but not the one who makes the easy shot. Difficult to keep the narrow way and draw the port of heaven, but if we do so we shall hear the plaudits, well done. There were but two ways, the Broad and Narrow, Self pleasing and Self sacrificing. Easy to follow the natural impulses, difficult to sacrifice self interest. There are runs in the ice, said the speaker, that lead to the wall, there are runs that get to the tee. Avoid those that ruin the life, get the runs that take you to the tee or to the House of the many mansions the abode of the All Father.

BOARD OF TRADE

The Annual meeting of the Red Deer Board of Trade was held in the Alexandra Hall last evening.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, W. L. Ouimet; Vice President, J. L. Crawford; Sec'y Treas., M. A. Munro. There were about fifty members present and numerous matters were discussed. We will give a further report next week.

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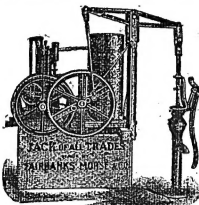
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TUESDAY, APRIL 23rd, 1907.

LIBERAL UNREST.

That Fowler's charges of "Wine, Women and Graft" have taken strong hold of the country there can be no shadow of doubt. When strong liberal papers speak out notice must be taken of the charges by the government or they will lose prestige. That staunch liberal journal the Saskatchewan Expositor says:

"If a statement of this kind was made by Mr. Fowler or any other person outside of Parliament, it might be taken for what it is worth. But Mr. Fowler is a member of the House of Commons, and has made these statements from his place in Parliament. They are exceedingly derogatory to his fellow members, who are the representatives to the people, and especially to members of the Government. They contain a challenge as well as a threat. Mr. Fowler had been guilty of conduct which, according to his own statement, he was not prepared to defend on his merits. He, therefore, challenges his opponents to refer to this conduct again, and if they do he threatens that he will make certain exposures calculated to shock the country. Of course, as Sir Wilfrid Laurier says, Parliament can not take cognizance of street rumors and can not investigate what may be baseless charges. But in this instance it is not necessary for Parliament to do this. A member of the House has in the House and on his responsibility as a member issued a challenge and uttered a threat. The threat is derogatory to the private characters of certain members of the House. In justice to the members and in justice to the good name of the country, Mr. Fowler should be compelled to make good his threat or to withdraw it and apologize for the injury done his fellow members and the discredit he has cast upon his country. This should be done immediately, and of all other considerations and no matter who or how many may be hurt by the exposures. The matter has now gone too far to be settled in any other way. There is no need for a committee of investigation, as there is nothing tangible to investigate. But Mr. Fowler should be brought to the scratch and he should be compelled on his honor as a member of Parliament, to give material for investigation or he should be forced to withdraw his evil threat and his insinuations of looseness. Either course will clear the atmosphere, and that is what is wanted."

No one can find fault with these views nor do we wish to shield Mr. Fowler. But when it is remembered how the Liberal papers were full Mr. Fowler at the beginning of the session, then when he stands up and says in substance "Go ahead gentlemen, but I will show you a thing or two before you are through," they drop the threatened attack collapse at his bluff and not a word has been said calculated to bring about the reprisals.

If members of Parliament are guilty of wrong doing we take the same stand Mr. F. L. Borden and Mr. Bourassa took investigate by all means and punish the guilty parties no matter to what party they belong.

ALBERTA LANDS HIGHEST.

It is interesting to learn from a report recently issued at Ottawa that at the auction sales of school lands throughout the west last year, those sold in Alberta brought the highest average prices. In Manitoba only two small lots were sold realizing \$8 and \$16 per acre. In Saskatchewan 26,062 acres were sold at an average price of \$14.32 per acre. In Alberta no less than 120,692 acres were sold at the average price of \$14.55. These prices are significant and show that of the lands in the three provinces those in Alberta are considered the most valuable by the men who are on the lookout for the investments in real estate.

CATHOLIC RATEPAYERS AND AUTONOMY ACT.

The Catholics of Regina have taken the first opportunity to protest against the taxation of the citizens for the support of a public high school. When the by law was introduced in the council last week respecting the establishment of a high school in that city making Regina a high school district according to the provisions of the act recently passed by the legislature Ald. Kramer on behalf of the Catholics said in addressing the board that he did not want to open old sores, but in this matter a principal is involved which he cannot ignore, and as the act of the legislature and the by-law is apparently contrary to the provisions of the autonomy act he felt it his duty to make a protest against this by law. The Catholics are not opposed to higher education and least it be thought they are he would not like to vote against the by law, and on principal he could not vote for it. The people would shortly see said he, where the Catholics stand on the question of secondary education.

This is the beginning of a test case to be taken by the Catholics against the bill passed by the legislature this session and which is palpably ultra vires if the Autonomy bill is good law. If the Catholics win the test case, the contentment of Mr. Scott with regard to the freedom of the province to legislate in her own educational affairs is a myth, and if the provincial act is constitutional, then the autonomy act is not.

The Catholics have decided to find out at the earliest opportunity what their rights are. They took a case to the privy council from Manitoba and they are prepared to do the same in Saskatchewan.

A BROAD HINT.

Ottawa Citizen.
Dear Sir, Winter—Ramble, old chap, ramble! Kaus mit you! Footsack! Allons! Likewise, out it out; and 23 for thine! And oblige, yours truly, Everybody.

THE UNWRITTEN LAW.

Since the Thaw trial began much has been heard of "the unwritten law," and the effect it will have on the case. The unwritten law appears to be that no millions shall be sent to the electric chair or the gallows in the United States.

STRATHCONA REAL ESTATE BOOMING.

Mr. Sandeman, the townsite agent at Strathcona, estimates that \$125,000 worth of C. & E. property has been sold since real estate became unusually active as an instance of how active has been the buying in all classes of property, this one office reports the sale of \$242,000 worth of property, nearly a quarter of a million, during the past month. Other offices report a large business. It is evident that there has been something doing in Strathcona realty during the past month.

MINING SITUATION SERIOUS

Fernie, B. C., April 18.—The mining situation is becoming very bewildering. Each particular camp has its own trend of feelings and ideas as to the outcome of a critical situation. One of the most astounding is its results for such a short period of time as this crisis has been in existence. Among the mountain of information pouring in from all sides the following particulars are authentic:

The smelters would be compelled to close down. The visible supply of coal is to all intents and purposes nil, and so serious are the prospects that the C. P. R. Company has already given instructions that no freight outside of perishable goods will be handled after last night. It is reported on good authority that the C. P. R. has actually about ten days' supply of coal on hand for all purposes. This will give an idea of the gravity of the situation. President Sherman also states that the Lethbridge miners will quit work in sympathy.

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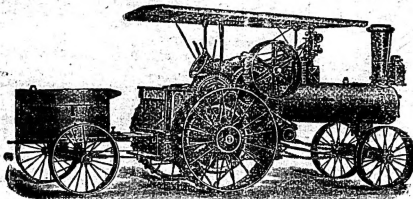
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The McQueen Concert

The benefit concert to W. B. McQueen on Thursday evening last in the Oddfellows' hall was a huge success. Before the hour for starting arrived, every available seat in the hall was filled and the audience was a highly appreciative one. We can hardly imagine an entertainment without Mr. McQueen. He has been ever ready to help in any good cause with enthusiasm and good will. Therefore we regret his departure from town even for a short time, but he has promised to come to town and help along any local function that may require his services, when called on by Red Deer friends. The concert was first class and those taking part are to be congratulated on their not being a hitch from start to finish. Prof. W. Morris, opened the entertainment with a piano solo and presided at the piano throughout the evening, with the exception of playing for Mr. Cowell, Mrs. Cowell, and her husband and Mr. Patheist for Miss Cowell. Mr. Cowell has a deep, rich, mellow voice and his rendition of "Admiral's Broom" was most excellent. Mr. Keith Galloway followed with a solo "Cavalleria Rusticana" and Miss Graves sang "A Handful of Maple Leaves" and was deservedly applauded. Mr. McQueen's violin solo "Broken Melody" was a beautiful rendition of that splendid selection which is a favorite of Van Biele, the world's famous cello player. Mr. Thompson coplained of a cold but sang "Then You'll Remember Me" in a splendid voice. Mr. Waters the English concertina player was unable to attend, which is to be regretted as many were anxious to hear this instrument played by a trained musician. Mrs. Graves recitations received well merited applause. Master Howard Gaetz with his violin solo "Irish Airs" was the idol of the audience and he was ready with an encore "The Swanee River." That beautiful solo, "Sing Me to Sleep" by Miss Cowell, was charmingly rendered and deservedly applauded. Mr. McQueen's comic song "I'm Tired" was one of the hits of the evening. He was brought back but was "too tired" to sing. Mr. Galloway's piano solo "Birds of the Wood" was a marvelously well rendered selection. Mr. F. Hart gave a solo "Will o' the Wisp" in a splendid voice and was recalled. Mr. W. C. Cowell sang "Anchored." Mr. McQueen gave a violin solo from Mendelssohn. Miss Cowell sang "Goodbye." Mr. Whipp gave a solo "My Old Dutch" and the programme concluded with a violin solo "Traumerer" by Mr. McQueen.

Dr. Gaetz sent Mr. McQueen the following letter: Dear Mr. McQueen, I seldom go out at night, but I want to express my appreciation of your kindness in helping every body and everything in need of your help since you have been in Red Deer. I do not know how I can better express that appreciation than by enclosing my cheque for five dollars to help your concert receipts this evening. Wishing you every success, yours truly, Leo. Gaetz.

Mr. McQueen felt this kindness perhaps, more than any other feature of his entertainment, and he desires us to thank the Dr. not only for his generosity but for the kindly interest displayed in the advancement of music in Red Deer. The proceeds of the concert amounted to \$80.

RUTHERFORD GOES TO ENGLAND.

Hon. A. C. Rutherford, Premier and Minister of Education, leaves on the fifth of May to attend the Education Conference in London, England. He will be accompanied by his wife and family, and will not return until July.

FARMERS...

Uniformity of sowing is characteristic of MASSEY-HARRIS DRILLS. The season is somewhat late this year and you cannot lose any time waiting to use your neighbor's drill, especially when we can give you prices and terms so easy that you can have a drill of your own without any effort.

We have a lot of drills going out this week, so come in and get yours with the rest and give us a chance to set them up in time for seeding.

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All sizes and styles. Come in and see our No. 8 and No. 9 Harrows, the one with the spring pressure and oil soaked removable maple boxing or brushing.

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When plowing under difficult conditions, the Verity plows are always there. We are carrying all kinds of Gangs, Sulks and walking plows in all sizes from 12-inch to 18-inch.

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CRICKET CLUB MEETING.

A meeting of the members and friends of the Red Deer Cricket Club was held at the Alberta Hotel on Wednesday night. There were only nine gentlemen present and as the Secretary of the Club failed to attend there was nothing of a tangible nature before the meeting. Capt. Cottingham was voted to the chair and Mr. R. B. Welliver was deputed to take a note of the minutes. After discussing the position of affairs so far as known it was resolved to adjourn the meeting until 8.30 p. m. on Wednesday, the 24th inst., in the Alberta Sample room. A resolution was also carried that the cricket property belonging to the Red Deer Cricket Club should be held by the Club and that no member of the Club should have to dispose of same.

It is to be hoped these interested in cricket will turn up at this meeting as there is every likelihood of forming a Club which will be a credit to the town besides affording the public good clean sport.

With the termination of the strike a serious situation has been averted. Between 50 and 60 men were out and the mines were completely tied up. The C. N. R., depended upon these mines for its coal, were rapidly running short, and for a time it looked as if the strike would tie up the railroad.

Regina, April 18.—In view of the threatened demoralization of business in the west by the threatened coal strike, the board of trade passed a resolution urging the government to take steps to prevent a strike and also urging that a movement be made to separate the Canadian western miners from the jurisdiction of the organization in the United States.

ARE KING'S COUNSEL. R. B. Bennett, and Jas. Short of Calgary, and C. De Wolf MacDonald, William Short and J. C. Brown of Edmonton have been appointed King's Counsel by the Alberta Government. Three of these are conservatives and two liberals. Edmonton, of course, has the big end as usual.

Mr. Sherman says the coal miners have not "stuck;" they have merely "quit work individually." It seems strange, however, that two thousand of them "quit" simultaneously. The public has good reason to believe that the "quitting" was the result of a secret order, issued by a person named Sherman.—Calgary Herald.

Mr. C. Hansen proprietor of the Grand Union Hotel is gradually getting his premises into shape and expects to have one of the most comfortable hotels in town—Stettler Independent.

Call and get our prices before getting that furnace you are talking about. Rondo & Beckett, the new tin shop.

I. O. O. F. Anniversary.

The annual anniversary services of the Waskasoo Lodge No. 18, I. O. O. F. will be held on Sunday, 28th day of April. The members will meet in the lodge room at half past ten in the morning and march to the Presbyterian church where the Rev. Mr. Fortune will deliver an address suitable to the occasion. Visiting brethren cordially invited to attend.

R. E. Berry, A. Cruickshank, N. G. R. S. Red Deer April 18th, 1907.

Heard at the Leduo Literary Society—R. T. Telford M. L. A. for that constituency presiding. After discussion as to the best method to adopt to compel members who were in arrears to pay up, the president calmly announced that in his opinion, "all who were not paid up should be dimembered"—and the Eye Opener has not gotten hold of it yet—says the Stettler Independent.

Bulls for Sale.

The undersigned has two registered Aberdeen Angus bulls for sale. No. 1, three years old. No. 2, 15 months, both superior animals. (Sire) imported. Prices moderate. Call or address

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The following is the vote as recorded up to Friday evening last:

I. O. O. F. 1607, 399.
Red Deer Public School 577, 730.
Fire Brigade Dept. 479, 788.
Public Library 3, 763.
Presbyterian S. S. 7, 007.
St. Luke's Church S. S. 4, 832.
Methodist S. S. 703.
Baptist S. S. 17, 652.
Woodmen 345.
Masonic Lodge 200.
Hospital 746.
Can. Order Foresters 37.
Spruce Bluff Farm 588.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 26

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Teams will meet the train at Penhold station from the south at 11.20 a.m., and from the north at 1.40 p.m. REFRESHMENTS SERVED.

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Her Last Alias

By HORACE HEMSTREET

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Clayton looked up from his book. He had not realized that anything unusual was going on until a scream from the girl roused him. Two men were arguing with her. She, white faced, but determined, held her ground.

"There must be some mistake," she insisted. "I am Uta Ormone of Detroit. I am on my way to meet a party of friends, with whom am going abroad. If I miss the boat, I shall find only loss the trip, but I shall find myself in New York alone and friendless. Can't you believe me?"

"We believe the going to Europe part, all right," grinned one of the detectives. "But the only part that sounds good to us, Clayton, is that we can't keep the train waiting for you."

He laid his hand upon her shoulder, and the girl gave a little cry. Clayton

"I have been most miserably sick," she said, "and I have been for some time." Clayton looked at her with a frown. "What is the matter?" he asked. "Why do you annoy this lady?" "This isn't my lady. She is a confederate," he said, and the detective replied, "Don't you see butting in or we'll have to run you to town?" "There's some mistake here," Clayton said quietly. "I presume you are making the arrest on information?"

The detective drew a printed slip from his pocket and passed it to Clayton. It recited that Lou Cogswell, alias Pfeffer, alias Hay, alias Goodrich, was wanted in Chicago for swindling. She was supposed to be making her escape to London or Paris. The description in a general way fitted the girl, but Clayton saw that some mistake had been made. He had been looking at the girl all the afternoon, and he would have sworn that she was no criminal. That her distress was real was apparent.

"This is all wrong," he said decidedly. "That description would fit hundreds of women who have passed through this station today. If you arrest Miss Ormone, you will be sued for false imprisonment. I know her to be the person she says she is."

"One of her pals, eh?" sneered the detective. "I guess we'd better take you to town."

Clayton handed the man a card. "If you want to mess things up still further," he said quietly, "go ahead."

The officer looked at the card. "Got any letters to back this up?" demanded Clayton, produced several from his coat. The detective touched his hat.

"I guess we made a mistake," he said uncertainly. "Sorry we troubled the lady. I hope this will go no further, sir."

"It's all right, I suppose," was the careless answer. "If Miss Ormone will excuse you, I have nothing more to say."

The girl bowed her willingness, and the two men fled sheepishly out of the car. Arresting a confidence man was one thing. Mistaking a friend of the son of the governor of the province for a confidence man was quite another. They were glad they were let off so easily.

Uta turned to Clayton. "I am very much obliged to you," she said softly. "I don't know what I should have done had they taken me out of the train. I am to sail in the morning with Uncle Jim and a party of friends. Father sent him a draft for my expenses, and I should have landed in New York without funds or friends had I been detained."

"I am glad to have been of service," Clayton said. "May I sit down here for a few minutes? You see, the other passengers are looking at me and I so boldly claimed acquaintance it would look odd if I returned to my own seat."

"It was a daring thing to do," she smiled. "How do you know that I am not this confidence queen?"

"That's easy," he declared. "You do not look the part. I think I am a better judge of human nature than the chaps with the badges."

She bowed her acknowledgment of the compliment.

"I should like to feel that I looked like an aviator," she laughed.

"You look more like an angel," he said demurely, and looking into her eyes. "It was that that first attracted my attention."

"I saw you looking several times," she said demurely. "You certainly made an impressive study."

"I did not mean to be impertinent," he said. "I did not know that I was rude."

"You were not," she conceded. "It was more that I was—well, let's say observant."

Clayton flushed. Somehow the girl had made an impression on him, and she was the first since the car. It was pleasant to think that she, too, had been interested. The thought gave him courage, and almost before he realized it the porter began to brush the passengers down.

"At last," she cried. "I did not know that time was passing so. We are almost in New York."

"I wish we were," he bowed the other way," he said regretfully. "May I call before you go?"

"I will be in the morning," she said. "I am sorry that I cannot say yes. You see, I don't know what plans have been made for this evening, and it might not look well to have you calling when I am not here."

"May I write?" he asked eagerly. "I do not want to have you slip right out of my life."

"I think I would be better," she said slowly. "I wish you would even forget my name. I—I cannot explain."

"I'll think of you as Miss Alias," he said promptly. "Your double had many names that I shall pretend that you are she."

They had risen and were standing on the platform of the Pullman. She put her hand in his.

"Perhaps I am," she said softly. "Thank you very much for your kindness, and goodbye."

He had slipped down the steps and was lost in the crowd before Clayton could reach her. He knew that that last speech, which he had given her, could not be true, yet for a moment the suggestion shocked him. He hurried down the platform after her, but the boats were just leaving and she was passed through the gate, and she was lost.

For weeks Clayton puzzled over that speech. He knew very well that she was not the swindler, yet why did she choose to create that doubt? The more he reasoned the more puzzled he became. Only one fact was unchanged. He loved her. That was certain.

Business called him to London, and there, away from his friends, he came to his decision. When he returned the fair was straightened out and he would go straight to Detroit and see if he could locate the Ormondes.

But he did not have to wait that long. He took the boat at Southampton, and at Cherbourg the passengers from Paris came on board. Clayton, leaning over the rail on the upper deck, saw a figure ascending the gangway that caused his heart to beat faster.

It could be none other than Miss Alias. He hurried down to the lower deck, where he could see her, though the passenger list gave her name, for two days he looked for her in vain.

Then, late in the evening, a little figure was helped out on deck and carried to a stateroom cabin. Clayton hurried toward her.

"I have been waiting for you for two days," he said with greetings had been exchanged. "Where have you concealed yourself?"

"In my berth," she explained. "I have been most miserably sick. Why did you search for me?"

"I wanted to ask you to become my wife," he said directly.

"Not knowing whether I am a confidence worker or not?" she demanded. "Knowing in my heart that you are not," he corrected. "Why did you seek to escape to London or Paris?"

"As a test," she said. "Had you not believed in me you would have lost interest, and I wanted to see—"

"Are you content?" he asked, as his hand closed over hers. "I have never lost faith."

She spoke no word, yet Clayton knew that he had won. "You shall add Clayton to your aliases," he smiled. "That will be the last."

What Books Do. Books are friends who society is extremely agreeable to me. They are my friends of all ages and of every country. They have distinguished themselves both in the cabinet and in the field and obtained high honors for their knowledge of their own art. They are the secret of success to them, for they are always at my service, and I admit them to my company and disallow them from it whenever my spirits will otherwise give fortitude to my mind and teach me the important lesson how to restrain my desires and depend wholly on myself. They open to me in their various avenues of all the arts and sciences, and upon their information I safely rely in all emergencies. In return for all they give me, they require only my respect in peace, and their friendship and more delighted by the tranquility of retirement than with the tumults of society.—Francesco Petrarca.

THE BOMBAKER.

He Makes an Apparently Harmless Letter a Deadly Machine.

So expert are bombmakers nowadays that an apparently harmless letter may kill any person who tries to open it. A piece of cardboard is cut to a size which, when folded over, will fit into an ordinary envelope. The four corners of this are slit into narrow strips. Fulminate of mercury is spread over each of the slits, and the sheet is folded in such a manner that the strips of fulminate are exposed to the action of the hand moving the paper cuter instinctively pushes harder, and the result is an explosion that either kills or maims.

The easiest bomb to construct is set in operation by simply turning it upside down. The bomb is made of a cardboard box, lined with paper and half filled with a mixture of chlorate of potassium and ordinary sugar. Into the bottom of the box is poured a quantity of water. The remainder of the space in the box is filled with scraps of metal. Then the lid is soldered on.

All that is necessary is to place the box upside down over the spot in which it is to explode. The acid acts quickly through the cork of the bottle and comes in contact with the chlorate of potassium. As a result of the chemical combination which takes place there is a terrific explosion.

THE ESPOUSAL.

Ancient Ceremony of the Mutual Exchange of Rings.

The first part of the matrimonial office was anciently termed the espousal, which took place some time prior to the actual celebration of marriage. These espousals consisted of mutual promises of marriage, which was made by the man and woman before the bishop or presbyter and several witnesses.

After them the articles of agreement of marriage, called tabellae matrimoniales, which are mentioned by Augustine, were signed by both parties. After this the man delivered to the woman the ring and other gifts, an action which was termed subarration. In the latter ages the espousals were always performed at the same time as the office of matrimony in all the churches abroad, and it has long been customary for the ring to be delivered to the woman after the contract has been made, which has always been in the actual office of matrimony.

After the first ceremony of the espousal, in some of the old manuals for the use of foreign cathedrals before the minister proceeds to the marriage ceremony, the minister reads the following:—viz, the tokens of spouseage; and by these tokens of spouseage are to be understood rings or money or other tokens of spouseage. The woman by the man, which giving is called wedding or covenanting, especially when it is done by the giving of a ring.

Know Him at Once. There are other sure ways of bringing to mind the names of those who are known to you. Among the candidates who were sent from Princeton to a Philadelphia church was one young man whose language was full of figures and dazels and delights the younger members of a congregation and sometimes pleases the elders as well. In this case he was committing to memory the names of the young men again, and he consented, but unfortunately the man to whom he fell to write the letter to the church was not the same. Nothing daunted, he wrote to one of the seminarians professors:

"Please send us that flower, streamer, and crown, and the other things, and mountain young man again. We've forgotten his name, but we've no doubt you'll recognize him."

To Extract Essence From Flowers. Procure a quantity of the petals of any flowers that emit sweet and fragrant. Take thin pieces of muslin or fine linen, and draw through them in good Lucka oil or Florence oil place them as layers between the petals. Sprinkle a small quantity of fine salt on the flowers and press them down. The oil will be drawn out and will be in the vessel in a south aspect in the heat of the sun, and in fifteen days, when uncovered, a fragrant oil may be squeezed away from the whole mass.

Stage Dreaming. Our plays for the most part over-dressed, with extravagance, vulgarity and inappropriateness obtaining in place of artistic fitness. The new costumes have to some extent frequently been of the nature of a patchwork, the actresses no longer representing the drama as they did before the dressmaker sent home their gowns, but rather the variety of the theatrical fashions.—A. W. Pinero in Cosmopolitan.

What is Inconsistency? "What is inconsistency?" asked the curious one. "It is," responded the wise one, "it is that spirit which moves a woman whose sleeves stop at the elbow to hold her husband because he hasn't any cuffs on."

RUNNING UPSTAIRS.

It Causes an Excessive and Injurious Strain on the System.

Every one knows that the ascent of a staircase is more fatiguing than ordinary walking. In walking progression is effected by a succession of lifts, inclinations and swings.

In starting the body is lifted, for example, by the levers of the right and left foot. The right foot is bent then raised from the ground, the leg swings forward and is carried by the momentum beyond the right foot. The levers of the left foot now lift the body again, and the right leg swings forward, and so the body oscillates along on a path of pendulums. Short pendulums vibrate more quickly than long ones, and therefore short legged people step quicker than long legged people, though with no more sense of exertion.

In going upstairs the mechanism of progression is of course the same, but the lifting is done by the arms and force consuming part of the process, is now greatly increased.

Instead of being just sufficient to admit of the free swing of the pendulum, it must be so great as to project the body up at each step a distance equal to the height of the stair.

Running upstairs is thus excessive strain upon the constitution, but where does this strain fall? The levers of motion are moved immediately by the muscles, but the muscles cannot act of themselves.

Their contractions and relaxations alone only make the muscles move. They are all connected by lines of force, called nerves, with the nervous centers, and these are the sources of muscular stimulation.

Not that the nerve force of the brain is converted into the mechanical motion of progression, but nerve force is the stimulus that makes the muscles act, and the action of the muscles, and this fact is always greater where there is a sense of exertion.

Running upstairs is high, the will result of running upstairs may not be decidedly felt, but where there is a deficiency of any of the processes this cannot fail to result in some form or other with injurious effect.

SOME NEW YORK FIRSTS.

The first schoolmaster was Adam Boelander, appointed in 1633. The first graveyard was laid out in 1633 on the west of what is now Hudson street, above Morris street.

The first farm, called "the company's farm," was laid out in 1633. It extended from what is now Hudson to Wall street.

The first clergyman was Dominus Bogardus for whom a church was built in 1633. This was the first real church building in New York.

The first artist was Dirk Hermann, a Dutch engraver, who made a sketch of New Amsterdam in 1633, which was afterward engraved in Holland.

The first mode of public punishment was to put up a post in 1633. Upon this offenders were hoisted by the waist and suspended for such length of time as their offense called for.

When the World Was a Cube. There was a time, centuries since, of course, when the shape of the world was a square, not merely flat, but that it was a cube. The primitive geographers of Egypt made a sketch of all that taught that the world was a "square plane," evidence of which may be found on thousands of ancient monuments. The cube was the shape of the world as well as in their ancient manuscripts, upon their inscribed tablets of clay and other early literary remains. One of the most curious discoveries of the Central American concerning Toltec beliefs, symbols, etc., is that they also had a similar idea concerning the form of the world. They speak of the "cube," and a writer on the discoveries made among the monumental ruins of Yucatan says: "They conceived the Peruvians, Toltecs and Quichés believe the world to be a cube, suspended from the heavens by cords of gold fastened to each of its corners."

The Aesthete. Occasionally the Fairlight drawing room supplied a specimen of the aesthete. The dainty dress, the drawing him in Punch. His dress was a complete suit of black velvet and crimson colored stockings. He joined the drawing room, but he generally fell down when the gun went off. That, however, did not prevent his charming the ladies. "You do not look like Mr. Mandrake," said one of them. "Thanks," he said, "I only tried. The fact is I picked a primrose in the wood before I came here. It seemed to me I have been sitting up all night with it. From M. Escott's 'Country House'."

Asparagus a Rank Feeder. Asparagus is a rank feeder, and plenty of plant food should be provided if nice, large, succulent shoots are wanted. A dressing of well composted stable manure or some high grade fertilizer will come acceptable. Salt is often recommended. In some cases it may be beneficial, but under average conditions it will not prove of much account. On the season its application would be labor lost.

Breeding For Quality. I would suggest that more emphasis be laid on the right breeding to improve the quality, size and quantity of the fruit produced as well as to put constitution into the trees to resist the frost. The old adage, "An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure," applies in this case.—Philip Lux.

High Priced Corn. The sweet corn of the present season is of a high quality, and the recent Iowa corn growers' show is reported to have broken the record of high prices by selling for \$150. The best ears brought \$20.

Flight of Bullets. A bullet which was fired by a charge sufficient to give it an initial velocity of 1,700 feet a second in dry weather would travel at no more than 1,300 feet through mud.

Detroit. Detroit took its name from the river, which is called the Detroit River. The name was given by the French, and the name was given by the French, and the name was given by the French.

Many men are liars, and they don't have to prove it.

Being a hero isn't always a star part.

THE GARDEN.

An Arrangement That is Designed to Economize Labor.

Some interesting suggestions in regard to planning a garden are given by T. Griner in Farm and Fireside as follows: In these days, when it is so difficult to secure reliable labor force, we must try to arrange the garden so that it will require the least possible number of hands.

My own vineyard of about 100 varieties of grapes is in almost a square block, each row having about ten or twelve vines, and this almost in the center of other cultivated lands. This

is one of the great mistakes made in planning the planting. The vines are not only of high class quality themselves, but are descended from stock of equally high quality, is at once apparent. The more distinguished the results from the operation of the pair of animals is the greater is the probability that the stock begeton of their union will be of high quality. The law that like produces like means that the progeny will be like the parents, not a mixture of the two, but a mixture of the two.

Value of a Good Pedigree. A study of the science of heredity cannot fail to impress the mind of the breeder with the paramount importance of a good pedigree. If by the laws of heredity the characteristics of one or both of the parents or come more remote ancestor are certain to be stamped on the offspring, the importance of breeding animals which are not only of high class quality themselves, but are descended from stock of equally high quality, is at once apparent. The more distinguished the results from the operation of the pair of animals is the greater is the probability that the stock begeton of their union will be of high quality. The law that like produces like means that the progeny will be like the parents, not a mixture of the two, but a mixture of the two.

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K. M. BYERS,
MANAGER RED DEER YARD

Local and General

Stickland & Reed, opposite Mrs. St. Clair.

W. M. Jarvis and L. Bannerman were in Calgary, Friday.

Mr. E. R. Hill, of Hill End, has taken up his residence in town.

Miss Fortune of Cranbrook, B. C., is visiting her brother Rev. W. G. W. Fortune, and Mrs. Fortune.

Messrs. Harrison & Paterson have opened up their real estate business in their office above Stephenson & Ilsey's hardware store.

Mr. A. T. Stephenson has gone into partnership with Messrs. Harrison & Paterson and we think that he is a valuable addition to an already successful firm.

The new tin shop opposite Hamilton's bakery, Rondo & Beckett, tinsmen and furnace men, they are prepared to do your work at reasonable prices, call and see them.

We understand that the Innisfail Free Lance has again changed hands and that this week it will appear under the editorship of D. Mitchell. It is also reported that some well known financial and legal men in Innisfail are now interested in the paper.—Province.

Messrs. Harrison & Paterson announce the following sales for April: 15 acres Fairview property, Mr. M. J. Herbert's house on Blowers Street, two lots near English church, quarter-section owned by F. E. Wilkins of Lacombe, 8 Fairview lots to railway men, quarter-section west of Red Deer, House and 4 lots on Stewart Street.

Mrs. Hyslop, organizer of the W. C. T. U. addressed a gospel temperance mass meeting in the Presbyterian church, Sunday evening at the close of the regular service. On Monday afternoon Mrs. Hyslop addressed the ladies in the Baptist church on bible reading and a talk on W. C. T. U. work.

Rev. Mr. Fortune in his address Sunday evening, hoped there would soon be a reading room, public library, gymnasium and recreation room where the young men could gather and spend a social evening instead of walking the streets. He considered this was one of the crying needs of our town.

List your farms and town property with Stickland & Reed.

Mr. James Foulds, who has been organist of St. John's church Westmoreland, England, for eight years, was made the recipient of many gifts and a splendid farewell address by his numerous friends on the eve of his departure for Canada. He will make his home in Red Deer and will, we understand, be connected with the Ross Music Company.

Mr. Moore in addressing the council last week with regard to filter basin brought forward the old suggestion of sand filtration. This suggestion has been introduced several times, but it cannot be entertained seriously owing to the fact that a large portion of the year the system would be useless on account of frost.

Tell your friends of the "STAZON" after using.

No wrinkles, and they stay on. Our optician adapts lenses accurately.

H. H. CAETZ
OPTICIAN

Mayor H. H. Gaetz was up to Edmonton last week.

Remember the Scotch Concert on Thursday evening.

Stickland & Reed, the new Real Estate Agents, Ross Ave.

FOR SALE—Choice building lots at Sylvan Lake. Apply to H. Longson, Post office block, Red Deer.

J. B. Herbert intends opening up a pleasure resort at Pine Lake the coming summer, and will cater to the wants of any one in the way of house accommodation, campers, boating, fishing, etc.

Counterfeiting.

Adolphe Johnston was arrested last week, charged with making and passing counterfeit coin. The preliminary hearing took place before Justices Palmer and Wallace at the fire hall on Saturday afternoon last. The prisoners were defended by J. Carlyle Moore, while the prosecution was in charge of police Sergeant Wilson of Calgary.

The evidence went to show that the premises of Playle & Niven had been broken open, that fifty cent moulds, open, pieces of tin, acids, plaster paris and other things were found there that the firm knew nothing about, that the prisoner had worked in the shop, was familiar with the premises, and counterfeited money for the firm, and had passed said money over the bar in the Windsor.

The trial was adjourned to Monday afternoon when the court decided that there was sufficient evidence to commit the prisoner. He was accordingly committed to stand his trial at the next sitting of the supreme court.

Remember the Scotch Concert in Oddfellows hall on the 26th inst. Piper McKay will be there.

IMPORTANT BUSINESS CHANGE.

The well known hardware firm of Stephenson & Ilsey has dissolved partnership, A. T. Stephenson withdrawing from the firm. This step of Mr. Stephenson's is made after due consideration, owing to prolonged ill health, making it necessary for him to get more outdoor exercise. But we are pleased to state that he is to remain in town and will be connected with Harrison & Paterson the well known real estate firm of Red Deer.

A. H. Ilsey, who is so well and favourably known to Red Deer people will carry on the business with his brother W. J. Ilsey, who for a number of years has been with J. H. Ashdown, the well known hardware people of Winnipeg, and assistant manager of their retail establishment for some time. He will not come to Red Deer until some time in the fall. In the meanwhile A. H. Ilsey will carry on the business, and the firm intends making numerous improvements, such as enlarging their floor space, putting in a new front and adding a plumbing department to their already complete tin-smithing department. We are confident of the continued success of the new firm of Ilsey Bros.

Sporting Notes.

The Leduc sports, headed by Dr. Alton, are trying to organize a gun club.

We notice Edmonton Cricket club has organized, with Mr. A. Scott, of the Northern Bank, as vice president. Already a challenge has been received from Pine Lake club to play a match in Edmonton in June and return match in September.

GUN CLUB ORGANIZES. The annual meeting of the Red Deer Gun Club was held at the office of Welliver & Drake on Saturday evening last. Captain Cottingham in the chair. The secretary, A. T. Stephenson, read the minutes of last meeting, which were confirmed.

A communication was read from the High River Gun Club inviting Red Deer to participate in a tournament held there on the 24th of May.

It was decided to accept the invitation. The annual statement showed the club to be in a good financial condition.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Capt. Cottingham; vice president, W. Leslie; secretary, H. H. Drake; executive committee, Dr. Plaxton; A. T. Stephenson, and H. B. Hill; field captain, Capt. Cottingham. The first shooting will be held on Friday evening, April 28th, and every Friday evening thereafter. A vote of thanks was tendered Capt. Cottingham for offering a medal to be shot for weekly by the club.

A vote of thanks was also tendered the retiring secretary, A. T. Stephenson for his untiring efforts on behalf of the club. About a dozen new names were added to the membership roll, after which the meeting adjourned.

TENNIS MEETING.

A very enthusiastic bunch met at Wallace & Gaetz' store on the evening of the 18th, for the purpose of discussing matters pertaining to tennis and to elect officers for the coming season.

By motion of Harry Wallace, which was unanimously carried by all present, Mr. Hellivell was asked to preside over the meeting.

The following were put in charge for the season, viz.:—Hon. Presidents—E. A. Molson, A. E. Hellivell, D. M. Sanson, J. H. Montague. Sec.-Treas.—Chas. G. Murphy. Grounds Committee—L. Riley, R. E. Taylor, A. Wilson.

Persons wishing to have their names on the membership roll may do so by applying to the Secretary.

Membership fee for gentlemen, \$3.00; ladies, \$1.00. The Club earnestly trusts that they may have a larger number of ladies added to the roll than in preceding years.

Play will be started as soon as the grounds can be got in condition.

RACE BALL LEAGUE.

Baseball enthusiasts met on Friday evening last in the Alexandra hall to the number of 40 or over to organize for the present season. It was decided to form a town league, with four teams if possible. Last year's club left a deficit of about two hundred dollars which we understand the league assumes.

The following officers were elected: Hon. President, H. H. Gaetz; President, R. B. Welliver; Sec'y James Mann; Treasurer, J. Hamley; Executive, above officers R. E. Berry and H. Wallace.

Already several teams have been organized. The clerks have formed a team to be known as Waskasoo Club, with T. A. Gaetz, President; L. Reilly, secretary; C. Oumette manager; McCutcheon and R. Hamly executive.

Thoj Wigwam officers are: President, H. B. Hill; manager J. H. Menzies; secretary C. L. Wilson; Capt. R. E. Berry; Vice T. M. Siro; Treasurer, Dr. Plaxton. Harry Wallace will get up a rattling good team to beat the bunch, he claims, to be known as the "outlaws."

A strong team is also expected among the mechanics which is not organized as yet.

IT PAYS TO FEED CATTLE.

R. A. Begg, cattle buyer for the B.C. Cattle Company, was in the city yesterday. The Company which Mr. Begg represents buy only grain fed cattle for the coast market, and he is always able to secure a good supply of prime beef from the small ranchers and farmers of Alberta, who are finding that it is more profitable to feed their coarse grain than to sell it to the elevators. He reports that the loss of cattle on the big ranches has been greatly exaggerated and that personal observations throughout the country he does not think the loss will exceed five per cent. The farmers north of Calgary have entered more readily into the spirit of mixed farming and still feeding of cattle than those south and east, the country apparently being better adapted to that system.—Albertan.

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Red Deer Branch:

W. P. HELLIVELL, MANAGER.

Penhold.

Stewart Bros. have commenced building their new warehouse.

A. J. Strong is busy breaking in oxen.

Geo. Green shipped ten fine steers last week.

J. Reeves was surprised by a large party last Friday, who took possession of his house and spent a very enjoyable time in dancing.

The A. F. A. met on Saturday with A. Hives pres. in the chair. The minutes of the former meeting were read and adopted.

S. Fye stated he wanted to buy spring rye. J. Farrar had timothy seed for sale. S. Edwards had 80 bushels of club wheat also for sale. The subject for discussion was binder twine and was introduced by the secretary E. Carswell. It was decided to order twine from Kingston, provided that it cannot be procured as cheaply from the local dealers.

The meeting adjourned until the third Saturday in May.

Sale Register.

April 25—Public administrator, J. P. J. Jephson has instructed J. H. Scannell to sell the effects of the late Mr. Barnett on S.W. qr. of S. 32, Tp. 33, Rge. 29, west of 4th.

April 28th—Arthur Hives, Penhold will sell his live stock etc. See ad. in another column. S. P. Freeman Auctioneer.

April 30th—Geo. Martin, two miles east of Penhold, will sell 100 head of cattle, horses, implements, etc. see bill. J. H. Scannell Auctioneer.

May 3rd.—Mrs. Harriet Smith has instructed J. H. Scannell to sell her horses, cattle and implements, "At 12 o'clock. The farm will also be for sale the S.W. quarter 33-36-1-west 5th.

Wanted.

A girl for general house work. Apply to MRS. JOE SLADE, Douglas Street.

H. J. Snell,

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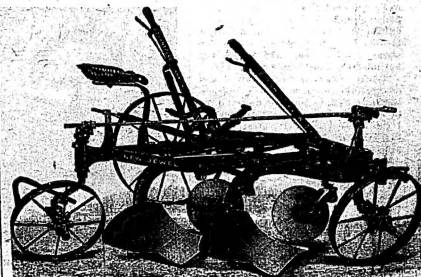
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